

## ProMenPol

# Your Input to Improving the Toolkit

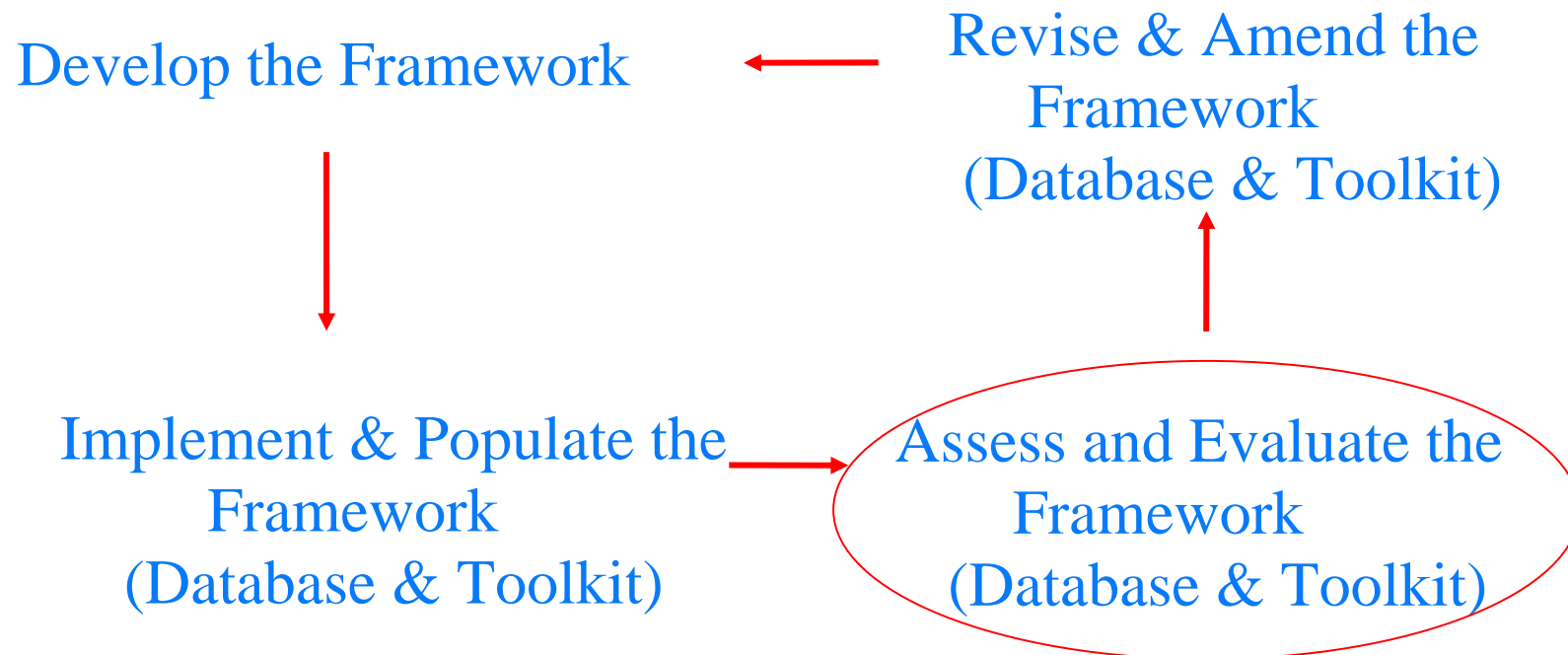
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**Promoting and Protecting Mental Health**  
Supporting **P**olicy through Integration of Research, Current  
Approaches and Practices

## What are the Toolkit /Database Goals?

- The goal is to develop a **demand-driven knowledge management system** of MHP tools.
- The building blocks are:
  - ✓ a coherent / systematic framework for the classification of mental health elements;
  - ✓ a user friendly search engine;
  - ✓ a wide range of robust / evaluated tools which are:
    - ❖ targeted at the practical needs of professionals; and
    - ❖ customised to specific contexts

## The PROMENPOL Quality Cycle



## Assessment and Evaluation Approach

- Aim was to adopt an approach that is:
  - ✓ User oriented;
  - ✓ Easy to implement; and
  - ✓ Near to practice
  
- **Result** was the development of a Usability Evaluation based on a questionnaire that has been tailored to the requirements of the Project

## Usability Evaluation

- Aims to evaluate the database and the toolkits.
- Method used is an Usability Questionnaire which will be used to assess the:
  - ✓ Utility, functionality and practicality of the database and toolkit in terms of:
    - ❖ User satisfaction;
    - ❖ user interface and design;
    - ❖ presentation and content;
    - ❖ relevance, usefulness; and
    - ❖ objectivity and reliability.
- Advantage of this approach is that it will provide the team with:
  - ✓ comparable feedback from an both users and practitioners across all three settings.

## How Does it Work?

After your expression of interest ...

- Access the online database and/or toolkit
  - ✓ e.g. with the help of the manual
- Make use of the implemented languages
  - ✓ i.e. EN, DE, NL, ET, and tools are available
- Search according to your interest
  - ✓ e.g. by free text, simple or advanced search option
- View the online description and categorisation
  - ✓ i.e. general description, ICF and MHP details

## Next Steps & Deadlines

- Questionnaire & Manual will be sent by email after Conference
- Reminder 1 will be sent at beginning of October
- Reminder 2 will be sent at beginning of November
- Submission Deadline: End of November 2008
  
- Support :
  - ✓ Manual, Email, (Gert or National Coordinator)

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